

Thursday, Aug. 11, 1887.

## RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

TRAINS PASS PULASKI.  
No. 1—Fast mail south. 10:30 A. M.  
No. 2—Fast mail north. 12:30 P. M.  
No. 3—Fast mail south. 4:35 P. M.  
No. 4—Fast mail north. 6:35 P. M.  
No. 5—Fast mail south. 8:35 P. M.  
No. 6—Fast mail north. 10:35 P. M.

Railroad Candles, Peppers, Salts,  
Preserve Sticks, etc., etc.  
T. J. WELLS.

A nice line of chamber sets, tea sets,  
and dinner sets.  
T. J. WELLS.

Sugar, Coffee, Bacon and Flour.  
T. J. WELLS.

## IRISH POTATOES.

150 bushels wanted at Craig's  
grain house.

## "Rise Shine."

Pink Ezzell has the best preparation  
for polishing silverware, brass, etc., you  
ever saw.

## 150 Bushels.

Irish potatoes wanted at Craig's  
grain house.

## Wheat! Wheat!

Boatman, agent for H. A. McEl-  
more & Co., wants to buy all the good  
dry wheat in Giles county this season  
and will pay the highest market price.  
Write—office at Arrowsmith, May &  
Co., Telephone No. 12. 6-23-12.

Hogers & Bro's triple plate silver-  
ware.  
T. J. WELLS.

Joseph Rogers & Sons, (Sheffield,  
England), Ivory Handled Knives and  
Carvers.  
T. J. WELLS.

Come to see me when you come to  
town.  
T. J. WELLS.

## CANNONS ARE BEST.

Bran new stock from top to bottom.  
The prettiest Cannon in the world and  
the lowest price ever offered in Pul-  
aski. Cannon deals in nothing else  
and buys cheaper and sells cheaper than  
merchants.

## Fancy Driving Horses.

Some splendid new turnouts just ad-  
duced. Call around and take a drive.  
BROTH & STONE.

## Two Fine Grade Jersey Cows

For Sale.  
I have a half Jersey and a three-  
quarters Jersey cow for sale. They are  
young, healthy, and very gentle and  
kind. Price \$50 each.  
J. M. BROWN,  
Lynnville, Tenn.

## FOR SALE.

Three Shorthorn bull yearlings 10 to  
14 months old, red and roan.  
7-14-11. J. K. P. BLACKBURN.

## Lost on the Pike

Last Saturday, somewhere between  
Dr. Steele's and Mr. May's, a light  
brown embossed leather shawl.  
Please return to this office.

## Lawn Settees.

25 handsome new slatted Lawn Set-  
tees for sale cheap. Suited for church,  
hall or school. Will sell all together  
cheap. Apply at THE CITIZEN office.

Nature acknowledges the aid she re-  
ceives from Man-land by curing her  
patients by the aid of the  
Lancet-plaster of T. J. Ewing of Cat-  
tlesburg, Ky., of a terrible cold caused  
by the flood. Sold by Anderson & Co.

Three-quarter Jersey cow for sale  
will be fresh in September. Her  
husband is a fine Ayrshire and  
Jersey—the finest cross known.  
Want to sell her because I am  
overstocked. The first \$50 bill I  
see gets her. LAPS, D. McCORD.

## FOR SALE CHEAP.

Our entire stock of  
Dry Goods, Clothing,  
Boots, Shoes, Hats and  
Notions is offered for  
sale cheap until Sept.  
1st. If you want any  
goods we have, come  
and buy them cheap.  
We want room for our  
fall purchases.  
Abernathy & Lightfoot.

## DON'T MIND THE

WEATHER.

Arrowsmith, May &  
Co. will have this week  
an immense stock of  
broad brim nobby and  
stiff hats which they  
are going to sell cheap.  
Arrowsmith, May & Co.

## FRUIT JARS.

Of all kinds and sizes  
and styles—in any  
quantity.  
P. M. EZELL.

## Take a Pill

To regulate the bowels and drive away  
the sick or bilious headache which is  
the result of constipation. But don't  
risk your frame and overburden your  
organs by taking any of the  
great, drastic, griping pills. Science  
makes rapid advances, and Dr. Pierce's  
"Pleasant Purgative Pills" are the  
result of careful study and skillful  
preparation. They are entirely vegetable  
and operate without disturbance to the  
organs of the body, or to the occupation  
or diet of the patient.

A machine has been invented that  
will sew on 3,000 buttons in a day. No  
one seems to know yet whether or not  
a machine costs more than one for the  
other kind.

## A Gift for All.

In order to give all a chance to test  
it, and thus be convinced of its won-  
derful curative powers, Dr. King's New  
Discovery for Consumption, Coughs  
and Colds will be, for a limited time,  
given away. This offer is not only lib-  
eral, but shows unbounded faith in the  
merits of this great remedy. All who  
suffer from Coughs, Colds, Consump-  
tion, Asthma, Bronchitis, or any affec-  
tion of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, are  
specially requested to call at Grigby's  
Drug Store and get a trial bottle free.  
Large bottles 50c.

A good way to get into a scrape is  
to shave with a dull razor.

When a rich man does not spend his  
money the way a crank or set of cranks  
want him to spend it he must be re-  
garded as a man man. He can keep  
up under the slander, however, while  
he has his money and the cranks have  
nothing but their opinions.

Rev. D. L. Wilson got in yesterday  
from a trip through Texas.  
He was in Dallas on election day  
and saw how the election was car-  
ried. Hundreds of democrats were  
dragged out to voting against  
prohibition by the leaders. A  
stranger told him R. Q. Mills got  
\$10,000 from the whiskey men for his  
work.

Miss Julia Brannan left for W. in  
cheater last week to enter the W.  
chester Normal College as a pupil  
for the next ten months, very much  
to the regret of the many patrons of  
the High School, in which Miss  
Brannan was a popular teacher the  
last term. She was accompanied  
as far as Fayetteville by Miss Annie  
Brannan, where Miss Julia stopped  
for several days with her sister  
Mrs. Weaver.

K. P. Concert to-night. 25c.

Prof. Tandy's school at Lynnville  
opens Aug. 15.

Mr. Edgar Ballentine of Tuscum-  
ma was up Monday.

Buy two tickets whether you go to  
the concert to-night or not.

Mrs. Wm. Ballentine's residence on  
second street is being handsome-  
ly remodeled.

Miss Mary Sawyer, long a pupil  
of Martin College, died at Beech-  
ville, Tenn., last week.

A letter from a friend in West  
Tennessee is not of sufficient inter-  
est to our readers to publish.

Gen. W. H. Jackson of Belle  
Mead is one of the incorporators of  
the Cove Mountain Fruit Farm.

Mr. J. Brownlow arrived home  
last Friday night after a sojourn of  
several months in West Tennessee.

Mrs. Russell and children of Jack-  
son arrived in Pulaski last week on  
a visit to her brother, Prof. Swan.

The roller mills broke a belt last  
Thursday and had to suspend for  
several days and get one from Chi-  
cago.

Mr. Will Montgomery brought us  
some pepper pods the other day  
which were as large as corn cobs—  
monsters.

Mr. S. E. F. Rose and family  
started back to Mississippi last  
Tuesday. He was a large buyer at  
the Rodas sale.

Morris Lewis, col'd, brought us  
last Thursday some open cotton  
plucked from his field below Tar-  
ley's—the first of the season.

A squad of young men is being  
organized to camp out a week or so  
at some good country place. The  
heat is not so intense in tents.

Miss Florence Rose who has been  
summering at Summertown re-  
turned home last week after a pleas-  
ant stay at that pleasant resort.

Mr. Sam. C. Mitchell found a re-  
al live, viperous, tarantula in his  
Wm. Ballentine's room front yard  
the other day. It is a rarity in this  
country.

The Nashville fruit canning com-  
pany has expressed a purpose to  
move to Pulaski as soon as the  
Cove Mountain Fruit Farm begins  
operations.

Editor Wade should make a note  
of having been in the same county  
with six living angels. It will be  
perhaps the only cold spot in mem-  
ory's waste in eternity.

Good rains have prevailed pretty  
generally over Giles but they were  
of a local character, leaving some  
localities dry. Crop prospects were  
never better except in these spots.

Mr. Whitten Jones in the west-  
ern part of the county killed a rat-  
snake the other day which had  
swollen in the collar had a light  
feet long, and measured 16 inches  
in its largest circumference.

I have the best Church Organ in  
Giles county on exhibition at my  
house, and the cheapest. Get an  
organ for your church or your  
children. Call and see this one.  
LAPS, D. McCORD.

The Daily Echo, Eureka Springs,  
thus pays just tribute to a Pulaski  
lady's intellectuality: Mrs. J. A.  
Jackson, a guest at the Southern, is  
one of the most intellectual ladies  
we have met during this or any  
other season.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Keeling are  
summering at Ashbury Park, N. J.,  
dismissing Long and Ocean  
Grove. Dr. Keeling is there for  
his health, having had an attack of  
spinal meningitis last March from  
which he has never fully recovered.

In the case of Mitchell and wife  
vs. the Mayor and Aldermen of Pul-  
aski, the jury gave judgment last  
Thursday for \$250 damages. Mit-  
chell's wife, an aged colored woman,  
fell in an open ditch in Africa some  
two years ago and sustained for dam-  
age.

Frank, the little son of Mrs.  
Boyd M. Young, had his hand bad-  
ly mangled in a cider mill in Wil-  
hamson the other day. He saw a  
nice red apple going in and tried  
to get it and his hand was caught. It  
was very badly mangled but will be  
saved.

The attorneys have agreed to try  
the Martin College case before the  
chancellor next Monday. We have  
read the answer to the complaint,  
and it is nearly if not quite the  
strongest defense we ever saw made.  
It is a voluminous document and  
will be published.

Mr. MacEzell is using the  
standard lightning rods and put-  
ting them up for a fourth less  
money than usual. He is getting or-  
ders. Why not give a home man  
your order? The many recent fatal  
misfires from lightning admonish  
us to protect your wife and child.

Last Sunday about noon while  
the hotel porters were holding um-  
brellas over the sidewalk to keep  
the bricks from melting a colored  
dame passed on a full-lined sack  
sacque on an An Ice cream  
wagon. In the collar had a sun  
stroke when the fact was mentioned  
in its presence.

The women of Pulaski and Giles  
county will get their Mother Hub-  
bard in just in time at the Pythian  
concert to-night. Mme. de Valsay  
has petitioned the French legisla-  
ture to emancipate women from pet-  
ticoats and permit them to wear  
trousers, and of course the fashion  
will soon obtain here.

Rev. D. L. Wilson of the Presby-  
terian church being absent in Texas  
on a visit and Rev. W. G. G.  
Thompson of the Episcopal church  
being slightly indisposed, there was  
no preaching at either of these  
places of worship last Sunday. Rev.  
Mr. Harrison of Franklin preached  
at the Methodist church. The  
morals of this community are above  
par and our preachers feel safe in  
giving their people a rest.

Rattler Brooks brought \$1000 at  
the sale Saturday and was bid off  
by Mr. S. E. F. Rose for Mr. F. G.  
Burford. Another gentleman had  
an unlimited commission to buy  
him but did not bid because he was  
a little lame. Mr. Rodas gave \$1000  
for him. Mr. Burford has now the  
complete pedigree stud on the con-  
tinent. He came from Minneapolis  
to attend the sale and will return  
there to close out some stock he has  
there.

K. P. Concert to-night. 25c.

Reunion at Summertown.  
The 1st Tenn. Cavalry and the  
9th Battalion will have a reunion  
at Summertown Aug. 31 and Sept. 1.  
Bring rations and blankets for two  
days.

Attention, Knights.  
Members of the Uniform Rank K.  
of P. are requested to meet Friday  
night at the Castle Hall for organi-  
zation, elections, etc. No one must  
be absent.

Bodies Memorial Library.  
Persons having in their possession  
any volumes belonging to the  
library of Clifton Rodas, de'd., will  
please return them at once to Rev.  
D. L. Wilson at Pulaski.

A Sad Accident.  
A little son of Mr. T. R. E. Boat-  
right of Lynnville, aged about 8  
years, got a bean in his windpipe  
last Friday and died that night. It  
was lamentably sad. He was the  
only son and the parents are heart-  
broken.

"Big Meeting."  
On Saturday before the 3rd Sun-  
day of month, (August) at 11  
o'clock, we will begin a protracted  
meeting at the C. P. church in Elk-  
ton and continue the same through the  
week. Rev. A. W. Hawkins of Columbia  
will do the preaching. The public is  
invited. J. M. ASHLEY, Pastor.

Closed Next Monday.  
Entries for McKimmin's stock  
sale close next Monday and you  
must enter your stock if you want  
it sold. We learn that the sale is to  
be a full one and a good one. If  
you enter stock by letter state  
whether you will sell for cash or on  
time and how long terms. You  
must enter this week if at all.

The Omen's Evening.  
The Mother Hubbard feature was  
a canard. It is to be a dress as you  
please free-for-all. Only 25 cents.  
Reserved seats at Craig's drug  
store 35 cents. Children 15. It is  
a short program. The  
certain will rise exactly when the  
audience gets there. Come early  
and late. Bring two palm leaves.  
No buggy-top hats admitted.

Death of an Infant.  
Annie Lilla, infant daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reese, died at  
the residence of Mr. N. S. Town-  
send, where they temporarily reside,  
last Thursday afternoon at 6 o'clock  
of cholera infantum, aged 2 months  
and 5 days. Rev. W. J. Brown con-  
ducted the services Friday afternoon  
at 3 o'clock. Mr. Reese is operat-  
ing for Mr. Townsend during his  
absence and is a resident of Nash-  
ville. Mrs. Reese is the daughter  
of Ex-Sheriff Butler.

Change the Date.  
Nashville having set her fair for  
the last week in September it be-  
comes necessary for Giles to either  
change the date of her fair or  
suffer by it. It matters not what  
opinion we have of Nashville's right  
to take our date, we cannot com-  
pete with her and we'd as well make  
arrangements to avoid it. The week  
before a suitable time, the fair to  
begin the 20th instead of 27th. We  
favor an earlier date anyhow. We  
sometimes have very cool and an  
pleasant weather and the earlier we  
get it the better the weather will be.  
These Tell the Tale.

Patronize a home man with a  
good article.  
This is to certify that MacEzell  
put up the last Copper Lightning  
Rod on my dwelling and I am per-  
fectly satisfied with the rod, work-  
manship and price.

Mrs. W. F. BALLENTINE.  
This is to certify that MacEzell  
rod my house with the heavy  
Copper Lightning Rod and I am  
perfectly satisfied with it and the  
price.

GEORGE SHORT.  
It does Ten Cents good to help  
a home mechanic. Give this young  
man your orders. He will give you  
a good job cheap.

Worse and Worse.  
EDITOR CITIZEN:—I read a severe  
and caustic rebuke of your sugges-  
tion that women should go to the  
polls on Election day, in which the  
writer took the ground that woman-  
ly delicacy forbade the dirty con-  
tact. Imagine my surprise to see  
in the same columns the very next  
week a suggestion that women keep  
away from every city where an ad-  
miring husband put up a family  
bar and sell him all the liquor he  
wanted. Now which is most inde-  
cent and unbecoming, to work to  
save men from being drunkards  
and boys or to go into the business  
of manufacturing drunkards and  
hogs out of our own husbands?

A WIFE.  
A Handsome Present.  
Dr. T. A. Atchison of Nashville  
bid off for \$100 the handsome Rodas  
library last Saturday at the sale  
and presented it to the ladies of the  
Presbyterian church in Pulaski to  
be used as a circulating library for  
the church. The library consists  
of nearly a thousand volumes of  
standard literary and scientific  
works selected with great care by  
Mr. T. R. Rodas in his life time,  
who was a highly educated man of  
much literary refinement. It was  
generally known that Dr. Atchison  
would donate it thus and for that  
reason the bidding was light. Dr.  
Wilson and Capt. Wade each made  
a bid for it, but Dr. Atchison's ge-  
nerous gift for the church and ex-  
pressing appreciative thanks.

Olmut Court.  
There has been a rush of busi-  
ness through circuit court the past  
week. On the civil side the follow-  
ing are the important events:  
Jackson vs. Basingham, judgment  
for defendant.  
Morrow vs. railroad, mistrial.  
Dyer vs. railroad, continued by  
consent.

There seems to have been a wave  
of crime recently. The criminal  
docket shows 46 felonies, including  
several murders, cases and adfel-  
dages of larcenies. 30 pistol cases are  
on the docket and several of them have  
been fined heavily. Graduated  
practices is being stamped out.  
The following are the important  
events:  
John Jenkins, the negro boy mur-  
derer, plead guilty of manslaughter  
in the killing of Wm. Bass near  
Elkton and gets two years.  
Victoria Harwell who murdered  
her own infant gets 3 years on a  
plea of voluntary manslaughter.  
Elihu Olds got 3 years on a plea  
of guilty of housebreaking.  
State vs. S. W. Butler continued  
by consent.  
State vs. W. P. Hannah set to-  
day.  
State vs. Will Hill set to-day.  
The Southern negro cotton steal-  
ers' cases are set for tomorrow.  
State vs. Wm. Sanders next Tues-  
day.  
State vs. Polk Edwards next  
Tuesday.  
Ben Ingram and G. W. Vance  
will be tried Saturday and Martha  
Adkins next Tuesday.

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No Mother Hubbards to night.  
Chancery court convened last  
Monday.

Mr. Henry Brannan joined his  
family at Elkton Tuesday.

Mr. A. H. Baugh went down to  
Elkton Tuesday for a few days.

The negro desperado, John Sum-  
pter, has not been apprehended.

Mr. Jas. A. White has been quite  
sick with congestion but is recover-  
ing.

The fall term at Martin College  
opens shortly. Send your daughter  
if possible.

We regret to learn that Miss  
Anna McLain is thought to be past  
recovery.

Miss Lizzie McLaurine of Bryson  
visited Miss Florence McLaurine  
last week.

Misses Lillie and Mary Witt of  
Lynnville are visiting Mrs. M. M.  
Griggisby.

Rev. J. S. Weaver will preach at  
the C. P. church the 3rd and 4th  
Sundays in August.

Miss Clara Ramsey of Cornersville  
is visiting friends and relatives  
in and near Pulaski.

Mr. H. H. Crockett, representing  
Well, McElroy & Rhodie, Nash-  
ville, are in the city this week.

Miss Myrtle Ezell went to Elk-  
ton last Saturday to spend a week  
with Miss Maggie Mae McCord.

Judge East and Judge Fleming,  
attorneys for the conference in the  
Martin College suit, were here  
Monday.

Capt. John C. Lester came up  
yesterday from Sheffield to attend  
chancery court. He looks in excel-  
lent health.

Erie, the second son of Mr. I. H.  
Raney, got the ends of two of his  
fingers mashed off in a cider mill  
last week at Cornersville.

Mrs. Mollie Jones and Mrs. Dr.  
Hardin of Nashville are visiting  
Mrs. Mahlon Stacy at Wales and  
Mrs. F. W. Whishup of this city.

The Kelly will case was held  
contested in circuit court this week  
and last and the jury decided that  
the will in contest was not his last  
will.

Mrs. Jas. H. Crowe and the  
children returned from Bailey  
Springs last week earlier than they  
expected. They will go to Har-  
ville soon.

No Mother Hubbards to night.  
The ladies did not exactly think  
either for that would be worse  
than wearing a Mother Hubbard—  
but they rebelled.

Mr. W. A. Campbell left off of a  
house he was building at  
Whitfield near the State Line Tues-  
day and broke his arm and was  
otherwise badly bruised.

Miss Sallie Shepard who is con-  
valescing from an illness of sev-  
eral weeks, left yesterday for Elk-  
ton to recuperate. She was ac-  
companied by Miss Belle Meredith.

Judge Thos. M. Jones has been  
formally invited to participate in  
the centennial of the signing of the  
declaration of independence which  
will occur at Philadelphia in Sep-  
tember.

Mrs. Emory Jackson of Palatka,  
Fla., who is spending the summer  
with relatives in Tennessee, is in  
the city for several weeks, the  
guest of her sister, Mrs. R. F.  
Haynes.

Mr. Fisher Leak, the gentleman-  
ly Kentuckian, who is second miller  
at the roller mills, had the misfor-  
tune to lose the first joint of his  
little finger in the machinery one  
day last week.

The Clifton Rodas sale last Sat-  
urday was very largely attended and  
the prices realized were good. The  
sale amounted to about \$8,500  
which included several fine horses  
and a fine herd of cattle.

Mr. Howell Graham was in Bir-  
mingham last week and made ar-  
rangements to enter office as archi-  
tect and learn the business. He  
will go shortly. His father, Mr.  
Bart Graham, is there engaged in  
the roof painting business.

Mr. T. R. Rodas has patented a  
new shower bath. The victim of  
the bath is to be entered into a  
roof and catch on to a limb of a  
tree to save his life and while in  
that position the neighbors come in  
to see the fun. He has tried it.

A party of young ladies and gen-  
tlemen dined at Tuesday night  
at the residence of Mr. Mahlon Stacy's  
and had a delightful party. The  
following young ladies and gentle-  
men composed the party: Misses  
Helen Heron, Lizzie Reynolds,  
Clyde Burton, Minnie Myers, Alice  
Graber, Anna Billington, Anna Lou  
Wells, Lena Wells, Martha Adams,  
Orlean Ballentine, Pauline Oliver,  
Lucy Anderson, Lela Hardin, Julia  
Cherry and Dr. Butler and Messrs.  
C. A. Craig, Geo. Person, W. P.  
Reeves, G. T. May, Jas. Ballentine,  
John J. Johnson, John J. Johnson,  
Arrowsmith, J. T. Bowers, J. G.  
Ballentine, Jr., Buford Short, Nath  
Adams, E. S. Ballentine, Dave  
Wade, Holland Rodas, Will Rose,  
W. N. Smithson.

"I don't believe it is right."  
"Is it right?" "Tax the people  
to make up for the excess of pro-  
hibition over the revenues? Well, I  
don't either. "I don't want to help  
kill the poor drunkards who can  
live without whiskey." I don't  
think this is an objection at all. "I  
pray over the matter." "You do  
pray for light on this subject  
and the next day ride five miles to  
hear divine inspiration from a  
preacher who carries the oxen at  
his side and the people who follow  
him to go to church. That is divine  
inspiration you prayed for it? Then  
you go around to magistrate, to  
get the law on the subject, who men-  
tions the subject and get drunk and  
beats his wife. That is where you  
get divine inspiration is it? If so  
and everybody is like you, I say,  
God save the country.

"Showed in the start that every-  
thing is done in a hurry. The thing  
should be a good thing instituted if  
possible. Some say the prohibi-  
tion amendment will allow the drug-  
men to sell it and will repeat high  
license and the next legislature  
may pass laws allowing the drug-  
men to sell it. The legislature of  
this year does not mark out or re-  
peal the laws already passed for they  
are there until the legislature repeals  
them. Would you not prefer two  
chances to one? Certainly you  
would. The legislature has done  
nothing. The thing is done. The prin-  
ciple reason is they are afraid they  
can't be elected any more if they  
support prohibition, therefore they  
will support a middle ground. But  
we want them to understand that  
that is not a prohibition. It is a  
middle ground and that there is no mid-  
dle ground. We as Christians can't  
support a man who is a moral cow-  
ard, who is afraid to stand up for  
truth and sobriety for fear of pub-  
lic censure. Friends, the harvest is  
great, come labor in this great  
cause till the 29th of September  
and we will be freed from this  
mighty curse.

K. P. Concert to-night. 25c.

Preaching Prohibition.  
Mr. Editor:—Will you allow me  
a chance to preach a little through  
your paper? As the preachers are  
all preaching on prohibition, I  
thought I would try and preach a  
little. Now, I have made some  
mistakes in the past, but I am  
not going to make any more. I  
will fall out with any body, any-  
thing or any cause if the ministers  
and preachers are all in favor of  
it. I do not address you as a  
minister of the gospel, and am not  
going to take my text out of the  
bible, but out of the laws passed by  
the last general assembly and it is  
simply this, "Thou shalt not drink  
of the fruit of the vine." I prohibit the  
manufacture and sale of all intoxicating  
liquors as a beverage in Tennessee.  
I do not blame the preachers for  
preaching about this subject as  
most of you will agree that intoxi-  
cating liquors are directly in the  
way of doing good. I am not a  
minister of the gospel, but I am a  
citizen and in the way of the mis-  
sionary work in heaven lands. What  
do you think of a missionary board-  
ing a vessel for China and on this  
same vessel one hundred gallons of  
whisky are taken on board? So you  
see the preachers are trying to  
get the thing that bars their way  
out of the way and you blame  
them for it. Well I will now try  
and get some of the objections that  
are made to the prohibition of the  
way and the work of the mission-  
aries. I will now try to get the  
properties it possesses in other  
states. Ist. "It is good enough the  
way it is." Well, do you think that  
to send 60,000 men down to a drunk-  
ard's grave annually, besides the  
cost of the people for the excess of  
the cost of the country, and the  
crimes committed while intoxicated,  
over the revenues derived from  
the liquors, and add to this the  
poverty, misery, hunger and  
starvation of the wives and chil-  
dren of the 60,000 men who have  
been induced instead of good as you  
said in your objection.

"Well, it is bad now it would  
not make it any better to change  
things, prohibition is no good at  
all." Well, I don't know. You  
have not tried it and know nothing  
about it. We have heard that  
prohibition is a good thing and also  
heard that it is a bad thing. How  
can we decide this matter? I  
am willing to leave it to the people  
who have tried it and have decided  
it. Is that not fair? Well, the  
people of Maine have tried it thirty  
years. At first it barely passed as  
they were in doubts as to its good  
qualities. Now after testing it  
over thirty years, they by over a  
two thirds vote say by voting for  
it that it is a good thing and you  
say it is not. Do you have a better  
right to know than they who have  
tried it over thirty years? Have  
you?

It will increase taxes and cause  
a decrease in the value of property.  
How do you know? Does it look  
sensible that if it does as you say,  
that the people of Maine, after thirty  
years trial, would not have re-  
pented and repealed the law? I do  
not know. I do not know the law  
from Iowa, neither do I know the  
any assertion from Sparks, but ap-  
peal to your reasoning power. If it  
does as you say why do not the  
people in Maine, Kansas and Iowa re-  
peal the law? I ask why?

"I was in favor of prohibition  
until the preachers went to preach-  
ing about it, but now I shall vote  
against it." Ah! did you know that  
the State Temperance Alliance was  
at the head of this issue and the  
preachers only followed a movement?

I ask, is it right to go with  
anything because some one else  
does it? Is it in favor of it? Did you  
get mad because some preachers  
voted for Cleveland? Did you vote  
against Blaine because some preach-  
ers voted for him? If you must  
fall out with the church or with  
prohibition because the church or  
some of its members and preachers  
are in favor of it, I say fall out  
with the church, for prohibition is  
not